PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (Case No. 00-505-B)

In the	Application of:)	
	Progulske-Fox et al.)	
Serial	No.: 09/980,845)	Examiner: Steele
Filing Date: April 8, 2002)	Group Art Unit: 1639
For:	Microbial Polynucleotides Expressed)	Confirmation No. 3701
	During Infection of a Host)	
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RESPONSE

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action issued on April 23, 2009, in the above-mentioned application. It is believed that no fee is due in connection with this filing. If, however, a fee is due the Commissioner is authorized to charge our deposit account 13-2490.

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